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TITLE OF THE INVENTION .

FIXING UNIT HAVING A PLURALITY OF HEATERS, IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS AND

METHOD OF DETERMINING TEMPERATURE DETECTING
POSITION OF TEMPERATURE SENSOR

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

This application claims the benefit of a Japanese

10 Patent Application No.2003-098055 filed April 1, 2003,
in the Japanese Patent Office, the disclosure of which
is hereby incorporated by reference.

1. Field of the Invention

The present invention generally relates to, and more particularly to fixing units and image forming apparatuses, and more particularly to a fixing unit having a battery for supplying power to a heater, an image forming apparatus having such a fixing unit, and a method of determining a temperature detecting position of a temperature sensor.

2. Description of the Related Art

Generally, electrophotography type image forming apparatuses such as copying apparatuses, printers, facsimile apparatuses and composite apparatuses, form a toner image on a recording medium such as recording

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